

# U.S. Drought Monitor

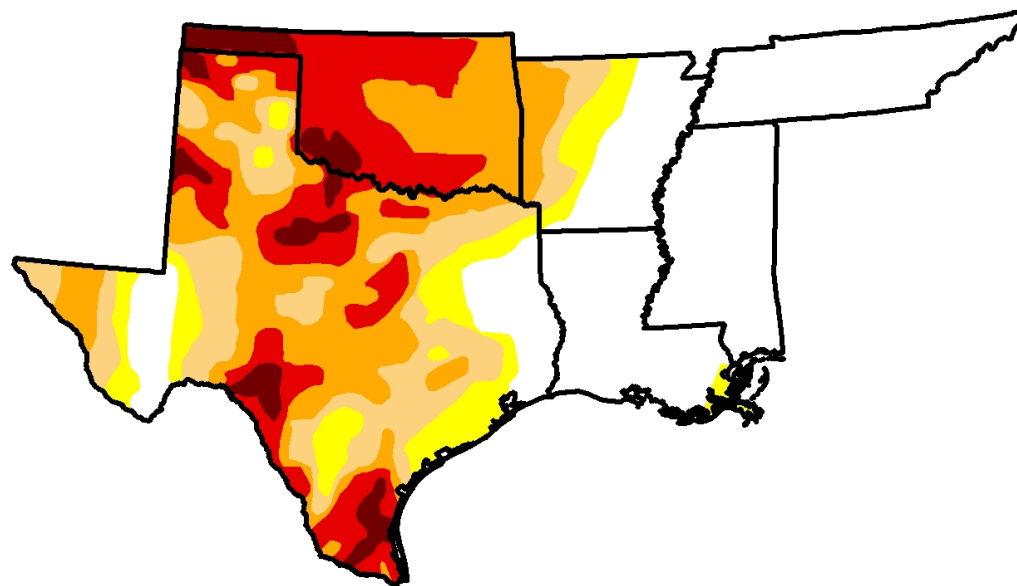
## South

February 26, 2013

Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	36.37	63.63	54.44	40.13	19.33	4.18
Last Week (02/19/2013 map)	36.26	63.74	53.89	39.86	24.59	9.53
3 Months Ago (11/27/2012 map)	20.96	79.04	63.53	45.32	26.83	8.44
Start of Calendar Year (01/01/2013 map)	21.18	78.82	63.69	50.50	32.80	10.98
Start of Water Year (09/25/2012 map)	24.13	75.87	66.61	51.50	29.86	9.11
One Year Ago (02/21/2012 map)	36.89	63.11	55.18	41.39	23.22	7.54



### Intensity:



*The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.*

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